

**Amendment No. 1 to HB1040**

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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 1041\***

**House Bill No. 1040**

by adding the following new section immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 16-2-508(f), is amended by deleting (f) in its entirety and substituting instead the following:  
(f)

(1) The District Attorney Generals shall appoint suitable individuals to the position of criminal investigator. The individuals so appointed shall perform such duties as the district attorney general may direct, and shall serve at the pleasure of the district attorney general.

(2) In carrying out the duties of the criminal investigator's office, each of the criminal investigators shall possess the same power and authority as deputies of the county sheriffs or if the judicial district includes a metropolitan form of government then their power and authority shall include all police powers of law enforcement officers in that area metropolitan government. The compensation of such investigators shall be as provided by general law.